

strawberry Dessert Contest

May 4, 2023



General Contest Rules



1. All entries must be made with strawberries grown in North Carolina; at least **TWO** cups of strawberries per recipe. Strawberries need to be the main ingredient.
2. Judging will be based on the use of strawberries, flavor and quality of baked or prepared product, and overall appearance.
3. Recipes become the property of the N. C. Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services.
4. Recipes need not be original. (If recipe is not original, please include the source on your recipe if you know it.)
5. Any recipe containing raw eggs will not be judged.

Entry Instructions

1. All entries must be accompanied by a recipe with complete instructions. Type or write your recipe on an 8-1/2 x 11 sheet of paper with your name, address, and telephone number listed in the upper right corner.
2. Desserts must be created and completed at home and brought to the **State Farmers Market Administrative Office** located at 1201 Agriculture St., Raleigh, NC on the morning of the contest. The office is at the top of the hill by the flagpole.
3. Desserts should be brought in **DISPOSABLE CONTAINERS**. It will not be the responsibility of the Market to return any dishes or plates. If you wish to pick up items afterwards you may do so between 3pm-4pm.

Day of Contest

1. Entries will be received from **8 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.** at the **State Farmers Market Administrative Office**.
2. Judging will begin at **10:00 a.m.** Prizes will be awarded at the Strawberry Day exhibit in the Event Center at 12noon. The Event Center is located between the Farmers Area and the NC Seafood Restaurant.

Judging Criteria

1. Flavor of product.
2. Appearance and attractiveness.
3. Texture/tenderness/quality of finished product.
4. Creative use and preparation.

PRIZES PROVIDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STRAWBERRY ASSOCIATION

1st Place \$200
2nd Place \$125
3rd Place \$ 75

Sponsors: North Carolina Strawberry Association
NC Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
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